CHURCH FEDERATION IN ANNUAL SESSION

First Meeting Held in the Hall of the Y. M. C. A.

DR. BUTLER PRAISES CONGRESS

Declares the Senate and House to Be Representative Bodies of God-Fearing Americans-Church Work Discussed.

The second annual conference of the National Federation of Churches and Christian Workers began its session in this city in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, Seventeenth and G Streets northwest, at 10 o'clock this morning.

The meeting was merely for the purpose of welcoming the visitors and intro-ducing the work which is to be done. The Rev. Teunis S. Hamlin, D. D., pas tor of the Church of the Covenant, opened the session with brief devotional exer-

Dr. Butler's Address.

The Rev. John G. Butler, D. D., pastor of the Luther Memorial Church, then delivered the opening address. In his remarks he said that, as he understood it, the purpose of the Federalion was to vo-Christian people of this country, he said, could easily rule the National Legislature about this yesterday, in our cheery if they only asserted their power.

Praise for Congress.

Congress, Dr. Butler stated that from personal contact with them he believed these gentlemen to be a representative body of God-fearing Americans.

The Rev. J. Cleveland Cody, of New York, president of the National Federa-tion, responded briefly to this address. He expressed his belief that although righteousness is still in the minority, the world is steadily growing better.
At the close of Mr. Cody's talk, the general secretary, the Rev. E. B. Sanford, D. D., read his annual report.

Work of the Federation. The Rev. L. C. Barnes, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Pittsburg, and president of the Federation of Churches in that city, then delivered an address on "The Possible and Impossible in Church Federation."

This was followed by a general discussion of the work among the churches. This concluded the work, of the session. The devotional exercises which opened the afternoon session were led by the Rev. Frank Mason North, D. D., of New

A general discussion was then held on the subject of "Local Federations and Their Work." Addresses were made by Dr. B. G. Selden, of Albany, N. Y.; Wil-liam C. Webb, D. D., of Philadelphia, and the Rev. H. H. Stebbins, D. D., of Rochester

Social Work of Churches,

Dr. E. W. Warren, of New York, and High tide. the Rev. Alfred Tyler Perry, D. D., president of the Marietta College, discussed 'How the Churches Can Unite in Social Work." The Rev. John Bancroft Devins, D. D. of New York, then delivered a talk on "Church Federation and the Poor." The session closed with the presenta-tion of reports of various local federa-

The meetings will be continued tonight at Foundry M. E. Church.

ASPHALT ON M STREET.

Barber Paving Company Will Be Asked to Replace It.

The Barber Asphalt Paving Company recently addressed the District Commissioners, requesting that they be not required to make repairs under their fiveyear guarantee to that portion of the nival, afternoon and evening. pavement on M Street between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh Streets northwest which was occupied by the tempo-rary tracks of the Capital Traction Com-The paying company maintained in their

letter that the occupation of the street for other purposes than that contemplated in the original contract absolved them from the agreement to make repairs.

Prof. A. W. Dow, Inspector of Asphalts and Cements, has reported on the condition of the population of the property of the prop

and Cements, has reported on the condi-tion of the pavement, stating that he could find no defects that could be traced to the occupation of the street by the rail-road tracks. Mr. Dow stated that from the examination made, the greater part of the street should be resurfaced. He recommended that the Superintend-ent of Remnirs be requested to make an

examination of the pavement, and that the paving company be requested to re-place all material that is not at present in sound condition.

A SUIT BETWEEN NEIGHBORS.

Mrs. Van Why Seeks \$5,000 for Al-

leged Damages to Property. Mrs. Marianna M. Van Why today filed suit against Jane Schneider and Ferdinand T. Schneider, as executors under the will of Louis H. Schneider, deceased, to recover \$5,000 claimed as damages done | Shallenberger's absence.

recover \$5,000 claimed as damages done to the plaintiff's property, 1004 Massachusetts Avenue northwest.

The property mentioned adjoins the premises 1006 Massachusetts Avenue, which are owned by the defendants. In February, 1901, it is stated, the defendants tore down the building on their lot and erected a new structure. In doing so, the plaintiff alleges, her party wall was weakened and damaged, and further that the floors in the building 1004 Massachusetts Avenue were made uneven and chusetts Avenue were made uneven and

RUNAWAY HORSE DIED.

Animal Attached to Sleigh of Un-

known Fatally Injured Itself. A horse attached to a sleigh, the owner of which is unknown, became frightened and ran away yesterday afternoon from southeast. Somewhere on Delaware Avenue, near E Street southwest, the sleight collided with a wagon which was standing before a store, while the owner was within. The force of the collision served to break the sleigh more or less, and the wild horse was thus freed from its burden. In the collision, however, the horse was hadly injured, and at Second and C Streets. badly injured, and at Second and C Streets badly injured, and at Second and C Streets it fell in the street exhausted. Within a few minutes the animal died. The police of No. 4 station took charge of the harness, which is held for the owner of the property. Nobody was hurt.

Real Estate Exchange Meeting.

A meeting of the Washington Real Estate Exchange will be beld tomorrow evening at 1334 F Street northwest, to pass upon an amendment to the by-laws.

Low Rates to New Orleans, Mobile, and Pensacola, Via B. & O. R. R. Account Mardi Gras celebrations. Tickets sold February 8 to 9, final return limit February 28. For full particulars call at B. & O. ticket offices. WEATHER INDICATIONS.



Watch-out weather. Fills one with age thoughts on the fall of man. How easy 'tis to fall and what pity 'tis 'tis true, and a few more out of the same deck. You know how easy 'twas for an esteemed contemporary calize the influences of the church. The to fall to the four-lions-at-a-birth way. By rights, we shouldn't say any more about it. But it's too good to In spite of the oft-repeated assertions forget. Then there's the fail of hope

concerning the corruption of members of experienced by the citizen who has been figuring on street extensions "Nay, nay, Pauline," saith the District Committee. "No improvements till we put a personal tax on your back." So! Well, we knew, of course, that we'd get no relief from the liquid mud nuisance. We knew we'd have to go on smearing the sediment on the children's bread and making them believe 'twas New Orleans molasses. We knew we'd have to continue cleaning the snow off our sidewalks and wading elbow-deep through the streets where no attempt is made by the authorities to remove the slush. But we had thought we'd get our new and needed streets through. Further lamentations of Tom and Jeremiah:

j	fresh west winds.
	TEMERATURE. Temperature at 9 a. m
	THE SUN AND THE MOON. Sun rose7:04 A.M. Sun sets5:24 P.M. Moon rises.3:24 A.M. Moon sets

THE TIDE TABLE. 2.03 A.M. and 2:08 P.M. 4 A.M. and 3 P.M. STREET LIGHTING.

AMUSEMENTS. National-Virginia Harned in "Alice of old Vincennes," evening. Columbia—David Warfield in "The A c-Chase's-Polite vaudeville, afternoon

ind evening. Lafayetto—"The Great Unknown," even-Academy-"The Gambler's Daughter,"

evening.

Kernan's—"The Jolly Grass Widows
Burlesquers," afternoon and evening.
Bijou—Burlesque and vaudeville, afternoon and evening. Convention Hall-Elks' Midwinter Car-

PRISONERS STILL AT LARGE.

No Trace Yet of the Escaped Work. house Inmates.

The four prisoners who escaped from the workhouse yesterday morning by sawing the fron bars at the end of one of the corridors while the guards were at breakfast have not yet been apprehended. No trace of them has been found since they left the building and it is believed that before this they have succeeded in leaving the District.

Maccabees Install Officers.

The new officers of Mount Vernon Hive, No. 2, Ladies of the Maccabees, were installed at a recent meeing by their Dis-trict commander, Mrs. Nellie A. Rowe. In spite of the inclement weather a large number of the members and frie

Mr. Shallenberger in New York. Mr. W. S. Shallenberger, Second Assistant Postmaster General, left for New York yesterday on business of the de-partment. Mr. George F. Stone, the chief clerk of the office is Acting Second As-sistant Postmaster General during Mr.

Unusual Record in the Southwest. The police blotter of the Fourth precinct shows that not a single arrest was made in southwest Washington during the twenty-four hours ending at 8 o'clock this morning. This is a remarkable record for this precinct, which is usually one of the busiest ones in the city.

Mr. Senggs Chosen as Attorney, The Mutual Building Association of the District of Columbia at its meeting last night elected Mr. James F. Scraggs as its attorney, vice Milton C. Barnard, deceased.

Downtown Temperature. The temperatures registered by the

standard thermometer at House & Herrman's today were: 9 a. m., 18 degrees 12 m., 27; 1:30 p. m., 25.

> Good for Bad Teech, Not Bad for Good Teeth

TEETH AND BREATH

25° EACH

HALL& RUCKEL, NEW YORK

POLICEMAN'S DEATH ADJUDGED SUICIDE

Coroner's Jury Gives Certificate in Berryman Case.

REASON FOR THE ACT UNKNOWN

Formal Charges Filed at Hendquar-Growing Out of Trouble Over a Dangerous Dog.

A certificate of death by suicide was ssued this morning by Acting Coroner Glazebrook in the case of Policeman Epple Henry Berryman, who shot himself shortly after 10 o'clock last night it his home, 456 K Street southwest. He

Berryman was a native of Virginia, where he was born September 26, 1872 Previous to being appointed on the police force, August 23, 1898, he was a conductor on one of the local street railways. Since that time he has done duty in the Sixth, Eighth, and Third precinct being attached to the latter at the time of his death.

Informed of Charges. Policeman Berryman called at Police Headquarters yesterday afternoon and was shown the charges against him by Chief Clerk Kemp. These charges were the outgrowth of trouble with a colored family over a dangerous dog and were considered of a trivial nature. It is be-lieved that there was some other motive underlying the fatal attempt upon his life.

NEWS FROM GEORGETOWN.

Professor Janney Says There Is

Great Need for Charity Now. Prof. B. T. Janney, representing George town on the Board of Associated Charities, appeals to the people of the West End, on behalf of the destitute of that section, for aid. A careful canvass of the town has disclosed the fact that about one hundred females are in destitute circum stances. The present cold weather has affected the poor in numbers. According to Mr. Janney destitution is on the increase. Never was such an opportunity fortunate. Cast-off garments, left at the local office. Thirty-second and Prospect Streets, will bring much comfort to the thinly-clad, who are appealing there daily for help. The Association's agent is most careful in her investigations and recommends none but those deserving and in sore need of the necessities of life. Bread, groceries, or money are solicited

by the Association. Prof. Janney states that he regrets to be forced to acknowledge that so far Georgetown's destitute have been supported practically on the contributions not of Georgetown people, but of Washingtonians generally. Some local help, of three, has been given, but not enough to meet the needs of the worthy but unfortunate. This condition regarding limited local contributions is largely due to the mistaken belief that local donations go to the central office and that Georgetown has not received a fair apportionment. On the contrary, it is authoritatively stated that Georgetown has been most liberally dealt with by the central office but that the great demand for help greatly taxes the resources of the Associated Charities and the distribution is not in any section what it should be.

Prof. Janney begs that the people turn over through the Georgetown office what to them are probably useless articles, but ed practically on the contributions not of

them are probably useless articles, bu the unfortunate Godsends of comfor

nd nourishment. Should a particular old coat, denated by a Georgetown man be found upon a Wash-ington unfortunate, it should not be re-garded as a mis-distribution, for in lieu thereof, many a garment donated by Washingtonians could be identified upon the backs of the poor in Georgetown.

This is the time, the charity officers say, when many people in prosperous circumstances might well agree to deny themselves a luxury, if need be, to assist in providing a fire for babes in cradies, todding children, ill mothers, or fathers, whom the severity of the weather has deprived of the laborer's usual wages.

A horse belonging to S. S. Datsh & Sonwas seriously injured as the result of a the backs of the poor in Georgetown

was seriously injured as the result of a runaway accident this morning about 9 o'clock. A horse attached to a sleigh, driven by Mr. S. S. Daish, became frightened on M Street, near Thirty-second, and ran down M Street and near Jefferson Street collided with a horse attached to a coal cart. One of the shafts of the sleigh penetrated the horse in the fleshy part of the shoulder with great force, in

flicting a wound about eighteen inches Veterinarian Hollingsworth stated that in spite of the seriousness of the injury the horse will recover.

Mr. Thomas C. Pole is lying seriously ill at his home, 3100 U Street northwest.

UNDISPUTED FUNDS ACCEPTED. Contractors Reserve Right to Sue

District Later, However. The Commissioners today determined by vote in accordance with a ruling by he District Auditor, that Messrs. James Nolan & Sons, contractors for public work, will not be required to sign receipt for any sum in excess of that allowed in their voucher, and that they will be free there-after to demand any additional amount which they may consider themselves en-

This action was taken upon the appli-cation of Mr. John C. Chaney, attorney of Messrs. Nolan & Sons, who requested that his clients be allowed to receive and receipt for the sum of money not in dis

FELL ON ICY PAVEMENTS Two Women Injured While Walking

Along the Street. Mrs. Mary Monroe, of 214 Fourteenth at 943 K Street northwest. Street southwest, fell on the icy sidewalk on D Street between Seventh and Eighth Streets southwest about 9 o'clock this morning and, striking on the back of her head, sustained a painful injury. She was removed to her home in the patrol wagon. Mrs. Monroe is sixty years old.

Mrs. George W. Evans, sixty years old, of 231 Pennsylvania Avenue northwest, fell on the sidewalk in front of the Saks stores about 9:39 o'clock this morning and received a slight injury to the hip. She was removed to the Emergency Hos pital in their ambulance.

A Colored Infant's Sudden Death. Willie Adams, a two-months' old colored child, died without medical attentio about 4:30 o'clock this morning at 225½ B Street southwest. The Acting Coroner has been notified.

Marriage Licenses Issued. Joseph Davis and Kate Carroll. Robert M. Bonis and Mary E. Bowerson Michael McGinley, Boston, Mass., and Maggie G Dea, District of Columbia. Henry M. Sparrough and Marcy C. Welch.

POLE PERMIT REFUSED.

Telephone Company Wanted to Erect Portyasix of Them.

Mr. A. B. Duvall, the City Solicitor, toay submitted to the District Commisioners an opinion upon the application of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone ompany for a permit to erect forty-six poles on Sargent Road, between Bates Road and the District line, and to string en wires thereon from the American telphone and Telegraph Company's test tation on Bunker Hill Road.

The claim advanced by the company had authority to issue the permit under ters Were of But Trivial Nature the general provisions of the law, and reference is made to the case of Nolan vs. Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Com-

Mr. Duvall says the only question adjudicated in that case was that the Commissioners had authority to issue permits o the telephone company for the purpose of making necessary house connections from cables, poles and existing overhead trunk lines outside of the city limits. The Solicitor says further that the pres-

ent application is not for a permit to tring wires to make such house connections, and he states that he is of the opinon that the Commissioners are without authority to grant the desired permit.

MR. BRAUNS TO SURPERVISE. Will Have Charge of Building Pump-

ing Station, Which He Planned. Capt. Chester Harding, assistant to the Engineer Commissioner, has submitted a statement to the District Commissioners recommending that Mr. Henry Brauns, of Baltimore, be engaged to supervise the construction of the Trumbull Street pump-

Captain Harding states that Mr. Brauns was the successful competitor for preparing plans for the station and that mpensation of 3 per cent of the cost of portion of the building designed by n was allowed. Captain Harding says at this did not involve a supervision

of the work.
Captain Harding is of the opinion that in a building of the magnitude of the pumping station inspection should be regularly made by an experienced architect, and he recommends that Mr. Brauns be assigned to that duty with compensation at 1 per cent of the cost of the building, this compensation being based upon the completion of the building within the contract time.

AWARDED \$2,500 DAMAGES.

Result of Suit Over the Death of Timothy O'Connor.

In the suit of Mr. Crandal Mackey, adinistrator of the estate of Timothy O'Counor, deceased, against Messrs. John and Charles F. Schneider, trading as C. A. Schneider's Sons, builders and con-A. Schneder's Sons, builder's and contractors, to recover \$10,000 as damages accruing from the death of Mr. O'Connor, the jury awarded the plaintiff \$2,500.

Ar. O'Connor was an iron worker, and was employed by the defendants in the construction of the new Government Printing Office building. On September 27, 1900, while at work, assisting in hoisting a heavy tron beam one of the pulley recover.

heavy iron beam, one of the pulley ropes broke and the beam fell and struck Mr. O'Connor. He died on the following day com his injuries.

The hearing in the suit was begun last Tuesday before Justice Clabaugh in Cir-cuit Court No. 2. Messrs. Mackey & Mackey represented the plaintiff.

NEW JURORS REPORT.

Several Talesmen Excused, Postpon.

ing Organization Till Tomorrow. The persons summoned to serve as grand and petit jurors, in the Supreme Court of the District, reported for duty his morning, in the different branches of the court to which they were assigned.

Several of the talesmen of each panel were excused from serving, and the jury commissioners were instructed to summon extra talesmen to fill the vacancies. These will report for duty tomorrow, then it is expected the several juries will

BASS HEARING DELAYED.

Caused by Absence of Judge Alvey.

Who Is III.

On account of the absence of Chief Justice Alvey, argument in the case of the Rev. Lishon D. Page which Rev. Lisbon D. Bass, which was to begin this morning in the Court of Appeals for the District, was postponed.

Mr. Alvey is confined to his home by a severe cold. It is expected, however, Justices Morris and Shepard heard nioions during the morning session of the

Promotions in the Postoffice.

Postmaster Merritt, of the City Postffice, has appointed Mr. James M. Britt as clerk at an annual salary of \$1,100, to take effect on February I last. Mr. George C. Cole was promoted from substitute to clerk, at an annual salary of \$600, and Mr. Richard W. Thomas was promoted from \$600 to \$700.

The District Commissioners, through assistant City Solicitor A. Leftwich Sinclair, have filed petitions in the Supreme Court of the District asking that the mental condition of the following named persons be investigated: Jane Owens, Alfred Gaskins, Cora Briggs, Mary Ashe, Julia Payne, James B. Gormley, Louisa Young, Seth Edwards, L. O. Dowd.

Annual Sale of Fish Wharf.

Commissioner Macfarland today forwarded to his associates a copy of a notice for the annual sale of the fish wharf to take place March 1, 1962, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. He moved that the same be published according to the requirements of law.

Hurt in Falling From a Car. Mr. A. K. Weeks fell from a Capital Traction car, which he was endeavoring o board at the corner of Fifteenth and G Streets northwest, about 10 o'clock last night and cut his hand somewhat. Mr. is twenty-eight years old and lives

BULLETS WHIZZED AT FIRE IN THE ARMOR!

Early Morning Blaze Might Have Been Disastrous.

FLAMES NEAR STORE OF POWDER

Firemen Compelled to Use Extreme Caution in Extinguishing Fire in Centre Market Building.

ket, on the Seventh Street side, about 3:30 o'clock this morning, caused about

The room is used as an office by the armorer of the District militia, and several thousand cartridges, used for rifle practice in the galleries, were in the lockers on the side of the room. It is the general supposition that these shells were ignited in some manner and caused the fire to originate in the lockers.

In the room adjoining the armorer In the room adjoining the armorer's room were stored several kegs of powder and several thousand loaded and empty cartridges. Had the flames reached this room, it is probable that the entire building would have been wrecked.

In fighting the fire the firemen were compelled to be extremely cautious, as hundreds of bullets were flying through the windows and doors. When an entrance had been effected a quantity of powder and several hundred shells exploded, and the men were compelled to retreat and wait until the explosions had ceased. The loss on the building will amount to \$150 and on the office furniture and ammunition the loss will amount to about

FUNERAL OF MR. STEWART.

Services to Be Held at 3 o'Clock

Tomorrow Afternoon. The funeral of Mr. Thomas Corwin Stewart, who superintended the construc-tion of the new city Postoffice building, has been postponed from today until to morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The services will be held in the Eastern Presby-terian Church, the Rev. Dr. Thomas Chal-mers Easton, pastor of the church, offici-

ating.

Mr. Stewart was born in Delaware county, Ohio, June 16, 1840. He served three years during the civil war in the Fourth and Seventeenth Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He erected Jubilee Hall and Fiske University, at Nashville, Tenn., and other public buildings. In 1868 and 1869 he was a member of the Alabama State Legislature. He is survived by a widow and five children.

DATA FOR BELGIUM.

Information Supplied by the Com-

missioners of the District. The District Commissioners today forwarded to the Belgian Charge d'Affaires upon request of Secretary of State Hay, opies of the laws and regulations in orce in the District of Columbia relating to the stamping and sealing of weighing

In the request forwarded to the Com-missioners by Secretary Hay it was stated that the Belgian Charge 4 Affaires desired to obtain such information from the sev-eral States and Territories of the United States.

PRIZES FOR MASQUERADERS.

Awards Made for Best Costumes at Germania Maennerehor.

The annual masquerade ball of the Gernania Maennerchor was held at the National Rifles Armory last evening. The costumes of the guests were in many costumes of the guests were in many varieties. The judges awarded the prizes for the best costumes as follows:

First prize for the best group, "Dunces," Columb'a Turnverein; second prize, "German Songs," third prize, group, "Four Seasons of the Year," first ladies' prize, "Angel Gabriel," Miss Mollie Kraus; second ladies' prize, "Trish Nurse," Miss A. Bringman; third ladies' prize, "Pestive," Miss Bertha Gundlach; first gentlemen's prize, "Baltimore Katzenjammer," Mr. Karl Gundlach; second gentlemen's prize, "Carlcature of Schley

To Pave Suburban Streets, The District Commissioners today issved an order through the Engineer De partment that the roadway of Randolph Street, Fernwood Heights, between Connecticut Avenue and Pierce Mill Road, and of Quincy Street between Connecticut Avenue and Twenty-ninth Street be paved with asphalt block under the permit system at an estimated cost of \$15,000, one-half of which amount has been

Columbia Railway Extension. Representative Jenkins introduced into the House yesterday a bill to extend the Columbia Railway line on Massachusetts Avenue from Ninth Street northwest to the boundary line, provided two-thirds of the property owners along Massachusetts Avenue consent.

The Payson Sale.

Sioan & Co. will sell at auction tomorrow, 19:30 a. m., all the fine furniture effects in Payson residence, corner Fifteenth and K Str northwest. A rare chance to secure fine house appointments at your own price.

Asked to Appropriate for School. The Senate District Committee has re ceived from the Washington Busines Men's Association resolutions recently adopted requesting that the Item of \$100, 000 for a business high school in the District be retained in the appropriations for the District of Columbia for the com-

Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Co Delightful trips daily at 6:30 p. m. from foo th st. to Old Point Comfort, Norfolk, Virginia Seach, and Newport News. See ad. page 7.

Delegate Wilcox Convalescent.

Delegate Wilcox, of Hawaif, who has een seriously ill at his residence in this city for several weeks, is now reported to be rapidly recovering. He expects to be strong enough to resume his legislative duties within the next few days.

Is an ordeal which all women approach with indescribable fear, for nothing compares with the pain and horror of child-birth. The thought

of the suffering and danger in store for her, robs the expectant mother of all pleasant anticipations of the coming event, and casts over her a shadow of gloom which cannot be shaken off. Thousands of women have found that the use of Mother's Friend during pregnancy robs confinement of all pain and danger, and insures safety to life of mother and child. This scientific liniment is a god-send to all women at the time of their most critical trial. Not only does Mother's Friend carry women safely through the perils of child-birth, but its use gently prepares the system for the coming event, prevents "morning sickness," and other discomforts of this period.

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DEPTH OF THE ATLANTIC OCEAN-Dolphin Soundings Show It to Be

13,986 Feet in Valley. The United States steamship Dolphin has made a sounding of 4,662 fathoms in north latitude 19 degrees 35 minutes; longitude 67 degrees 43 minutes, in the depressed area north of Porto Rico which was discovered by Lieutenant Brownson in 1882. Brownson's deepest sounding was 4,561 fathoms, seventy miles east of the depth just discovered by the Dolphin The deepest sounding in the Carlbbean Sea lies south of the Great Cayman and is 3,428 fathoms. The deepest known place in the South Atlantic is a spot of 4,030 fathoms, eleven miles south of the equator, 18 degrees, 15 minutes west of Greenwich. Greenwich.

Fire in a room above the Centre Mar-et, on the Seventh Street side, about

THE NOYES-NOME CASE.

Ex-Senator Carter Not Implicated in Alleged Conspiracy.

The mention of ex-Senator Carter's name in yesterday's Evening Times in connection with the Noyes-Nome controersy was through inadvertence, and was unwarranted by any fact known to us.

Inspector to Visit Milwaukee. By order of the District Commissioners charles N. Church, inspector in the Water Department has been directed to pro-ceed from Detroit, Mich., to Milwaukee, Wis., and return to Detroit, for the pur-pose of inspecting pumping machinery. The expenses of the trip are to be charg-ed against the appropriation for the ex-tension of the high service system.

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The peer of anything ever attempt ed by any concern in this or any other city has proved one of the mos surprising events ever undertaken by this house. The sale goes on and will continue this entire week, and per haps longer. Every price and every kind that you saw advertised in last Sunday's Times and Post will remain in force until this attraction is with

Another Offering of Flannel Waists.

We have been doing such an enormous business in this line that we are compelled to make another big sale of what we have left in stock. Nowhere, and especially at this season of the year, is such an assortment available. The following good values will appeal to you forcibly at these prices:

At \$1.25 we will sell you \$2.50 Flannel Waists—they are made of French twilled flannel, in button front or back style—with a good assortment of colors and a fair assortment of sizes. At \$1.48 we will sell you Flannel Waists worth \$3.00—these are made of French flannel—and are shown in a variety of pretty tucked styles—the colorings are all desirable—sizes very good.

At \$1.98 We will sell you Flannel Waists worth \$3.50—these are made of fine French flannel, fin-ished with pin tucks, graduated ef-fect—have stock collars, and are fin-ished with taffeta silk and fancy

At \$1.98 we will sell you Plannel Waists worth \$4.00, made of very fine French flannel, strictly tailor-made, beautifully tucked and stitched, in every wantable shade—sizes are very good.

At \$1.98 we will sell you Flannel Wajsts worth \$5.00—these are made of exquisite quality French flannel, beautifully embroidered in self colorings and contrasting shades—we give you both styles, button front or back—every size.

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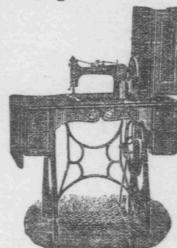
\$3.50 \$3,50 \$4.50 Men's Heavy Winter Pants, 90c worth \$1.50, for..... Children's All-wool Suits, \$1,87 Knee 42C Children's Cassimere Pants, 18c Children's Norfolk Suits, sizes 4 to 9 years, that sold up to \$1.89

hildren's Leggins, made of Corduroy, eather, and black kersey, 75c sold for \$1.50; your choice

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